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**Governor Brownback releases statement about Nelson Mandela**

**Topeka-** Governor Brownback issued the following statement upon the death of Nelson Mandela.

“Nelson Mandela was a great man who stood up for his principles and human rights,” said Governor Brownback. “He was an inspiration to many, including myself. My thoughts and prayers go to his family.”

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